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LOCAL NEWS.

If you see it in the Townsman, it's news to be relied upon; if it is news and so, you'll see it in the Townsman.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren F. Draper are at Buttonwoods, R. I.

Miss Kate P. Jenkins and Miss Florence Kimball are at Northfield, Mass.

William H. Higgins is attending the sales this week at Rigby Park.

Frank Abbott of Valpey Bros' Market is visiting friends in Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Grace Whittemore and daughter are at their cottage at Pine Point, Me.

Miss Annie Playdon has returned home from a visit to Providence, R. I.

Miss Mary F. Mason is visiting Miss Laura Farnum of North Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. Milo H. Gould spent Thursday at Nahant.

William Lindsay has entered the employ of Valpey Bros.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Phillips and Mrs. A. S. Manning have returned from Nova Scotia.

Mrs. Carrie Stanley Stowers and sons Ralph and Stanley, of Beverly are visiting Mrs. Mary A. Richards.

There will be a special business meeting of the King's daughters, Thursday evening at 7.30.

Mrs. George F. Mason has been visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. C. Turner of No. Reading.

Mr. and Mrs. James Ramsey, Mineral Street, are both confined to their home by illness.

Rev. G. W. Clough formerly pastor of the Baptist Church was in town Thursday.

Misses Sadie and Flossie Luscomb of Goffstown, N. H., are visiting at Mooers E. White's on Essex Street.

Barnett Rogers spent Sunday with his family at Salisbury Beach where they are staying at present.

Hardy and Cole are making repairs on the house of Moses L. Farnham on High Street.

Rev. John J. Blair, former pastor of the West Church, Sunday morning.

Mrs. Darius Richardson and Mrs. Helen E. Carruth have been visiting at Marblehead Neck.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry McLaughlin and Mr. and Mrs. Geo. T. Abbott spent Wednesday at Lynn Beach.

D. Donovan & Son are repainting and Hardy & Cole are making repairs on Mrs. Burns' house on Summer Street.

The monthly meeting of the Andover Florists' and Gardeners' Club will be held to-night in Town Hall Building at 8 o'clock.

The Girls' Friendly Society of Christ Church will hold a lawn party on the grounds of H. H. Tyer to-morrow afternoon.

Remember the picnic of the Free Church Sunday School, to-morrow. Train leaves at 8.45 A. M. Tickets at station.

Miss E. Louise Hardy has returned from her vacation at Peabody and has resumed her duties at the Merrimack Mutual Insurance Company's office.

All orders for extra coal by members of the Abbott Village Coal Society must be placed with the secretary not later than to-night.

Miss Cecilia A. Kydd has been appointed teacher of the Farnham District School. Miss Kydd graduated from the Salem Normal School last June.

Real estate agent Rogers' advertisement in to-day's paper contains many desirable properties for sale and to rent. It is well worth perusal.

James Marshall, clerk at T. A. Holt's is enjoying his vacation this week, which he is spending with his wife and family at Black Rocks, Salisbury Beach.

George Guthrie's pigeons still keep on winning prizes. At the Tyngsboro show this week they won six prizes in breeding stock class.

Rev. Mr. Wilson of Boston will preach at 8.30 Sunday in the Scotland school-house. Mr. Wilson is spending the summer with his family in Mrs. Lusina Waldo's house.

The local baseball team will play the second of its series of three games with the Y. M. C. A. nine of Lawrence, Saturday afternoon at Glen Forest. The first game went to the Lawrence team, 9-6, but Andover should win easily Saturday.

To-morrow afternoon the Andover Cricket Club will play the St. John's C. C. of Lawrence on the latter's grounds. The Andover team has not been decided upon and many of the best players will be absent.

An unfortunate accident happened Tuesday to Lizzie, the seven year old daughter of Roscoe K. Cole, Elm Street. She was on the roof of a hen house and falling to the ground broke her arm between the elbow and shoulder. The bone was set and is improving favorably.

During the sharp thunder storm last Saturday afternoon, lightning struck in several places in town. At H. Bradford Lewis' residence on the hill, Joseph Sullivan and James May had a very narrow escape the bolt striking within a foot of them. The damage done to the building was very slight. Some trifling damage was also done at Swanton's on Salem Street, principally to the wood-work and plastering. A bucket sitting near was struck and smashed to pieces with the exception of the bottom which was left intact. In other parts of the town trees were struck and near the Downing farm a large tree was laid across the road.

Mrs. Richard Williamson and daughter are at Crescent Beach.

John Anderson and family spent Sunday at Lynn Beach.

Miss Agnes B. Spinney is enjoying a week's visit in Worcester.

Miss Coghane of Lynn is visiting at David Stephens' on Essex Street.

George L. Burnham, the genial superintendent of the poor farm has gone to West Beckmantown, N. Y., for an outing.

M. J. Crowley of the firm of Burns & Crowley is spending a few days visiting down East.

Miss Alice Stone is attending the musical festival at the Weira, N. H., this week.

Letter carrier Joseph Blunt began his vacation Thursday and left last night for a trip to Portland.

The residence of W. B. Jenkins on School Street has been wired this week for electric lights.

Mrs. John A. Frazer has gone to her old home in Nova Scotia for the month of August.

Mrs. Maud C. Williston of Suncook, N. H., is visiting at the home of F. Lewis Bodwell, Park Street.

James Sawyer of Saco, Me., has been spending a few days with American Express Agent, Nesbit G. Gleason.

George A. Higgins of the Andover Bookstore has gone with wife and daughter Gladys, to Winthrop beach for a two weeks' sojourn.

Misses Margaret and Jennie Middleton who have been staying with their uncle in Frye Village, have gone to visit their brother, James Middleton in Hyde Park.

Miss Mary Stevens sailed for her home in the north of Ireland last Thursday on the S. S. Canada, for the benefit of her health.

H. B. Green, assistant superintendent at Marland Mills has severed his connection there and has gone to his home in Milwaukee, Wis.

Peter Dugan, old time ex-champion light weight catch-as-catch-can Lancashire wrestler of Andover, officiated as referee at the wrestling match at Glen Forest, last Saturday afternoon.

It is amazing how many bird's nests are found in the arc lamps in a year. So far this season Newton Jaquith has destroyed over 400 and in a less period he destroyed an equal number last fall.

Work on raising the street railroad tracks to their proper level is being rapidly pushed along. The tracks have been raised nearly six inches and the annual rivulets in spring will now be missing. It will be a decided improvement.

Judge Poor fined James Cronin and Daniel Fitzgerald, two concrete men employed by Chase and Bailey \$5 each, Monday evening, for disturbing the peace. Arthur Slane arrested Sunday by Chief Mears, while ill-treating his family, was mulcted a similar sum for drunkenness.

Friday night a gang of tramps were surprised while sleeping on the railroad track near Frye Village, by Chief of Police Mears and officer Moor. They offered to fight and after a struggle four were secured. In the Police Court Saturday afternoon, they were before Judge Poor and one was sentenced to six months in the house of correction while the other three were discharged.

"Eddie" got leave of absence Saturday afternoon to take a trip down east by boat and promised his employer to be on hand bright and early Monday morning.

That same morning a telegram announced that he had missed the home boat and that he would return by the Bar Harbor express. Several expresses passed through Andover but not until Tuesday morning did "Eddie" appear.

It was thought that he had gone off to Santiago to join the forces under Maj. Gen. Shafter. He is still expressing.

The grangers of Andover, North Andover, Tewksbury and Dracut held their first annual picnic at Bailey's Grove, Haggitt's Pond, yesterday. The rain of early morning and subsequent threatening skies finally gave place to extremely hot weather and the grangers took full advantage of this, there being a large gathering from all four towns. Sports were indulged in, and the dancing pavilion was well patronized, music being furnished by a band, cornet and violin trio. The picnic was a success and will be made an annual affair.

The cricket game of the season will be played on the home grounds, Saturday afternoon, Aug. 13, between the Andover and Merrimack Clubs. There is a great rivalry between the two teams and the first meeting of the eleven at Lawrence in May resulted in an overwhelming defeat of the Lawrence team. Next Saturday's game will therefore be of great interest and a large crowd will surely be present from Lawrence. The admission to the game will be ten cents and tickets can be procured from the members of the club. During the afternoon a flag raising will be held and Congressman Knox has been secured to give an address. The Andover Brass Band will furnish music.

The thirtieth annual reunion of the First Mass. Heavy Artillery Association, will be held at Glen Forest, Methuen, Thursday, Aug. 11, 1898. A special invitation is extended to the widows, children and relatives of deceased comrades and also to the families and friends of the regiment. Be sure and bring the children. Business meeting 1.30; assembly 5.00; coffee will be furnished by the association. Bring drinking utensils. No intoxicating liquors allowed on the grounds. Any comrade not able to pay assessment will be given a badge. While this reunion is to be a basket picnic it is hoped that enough of the comrades will meet at a dinner in the Cafe, at 50 cents each to ensure a pleasant and sociable "set down."

David Shoane of Chelsea and a party of friends are camping in a field on Jesse Clark's farm.

Miss Florence Chandler of Worcester is visiting Miss Myra Bodwell on Maple Avenue.

David May, clerk at Farmer's Fish Market, is enjoying his vacation this week in an ocean trip to Yarmouth, N. S.

Assistant postmaster, "Tommy" Abbott is enjoying a rest from mail matter this week, being a part of his vacation.

James Soutar 1st, of Village Street and his son Walter of Boston left Tuesday for a business and pleasure trip to California.

Joseph Burns is touring in the White Mountains. He will visit Laconia, Bethlehem and other places and will be gone two weeks.

Miss Lucia G. Merrill is organist pro tem at Christ Church in place of organist Whitman who is taking his annual rest.

John Saunders and sons Antoine B. and James have gone to Enfield, N. H., where they will rusticate for a couple of weeks. Tall fish stories will be in order on their return.

Mrs. David Bruce, wife of the popular captain of the Andover Cricket Club, has been very seriously ill this week at her home on Cuba Street, but is reported somewhat better.

T. E. Rhodes took charge of the Andover Bakery, Monday. All kinds of bread stuffs can be obtained either at the bakery on Park Street or at his restaurant on Main Street. Sunday hours will be till 10 A. M.

Essex County Pomona Grange, P. O. of H. will hold a picnic at Salisbury Beach, Thursday Aug. 11th., the steamer leaving Haverhill at 9.30 A. M. Tickets for the round trip 40 cents, children under fourteen, 25 cents. Members of the local grange will attend.

Thomas Bentley's annual fishing excursion was held last Saturday. The party, 28 in number, left town Friday night for Marblehead and put out to sea early Saturday morning. The wind was so light that they never reached the fishing grounds proper and as a consequence the catch was not very heavy. The heaviest fish caught weighed twelve pounds. Everyone enjoyed the trip and only two of the party "provided food for the fishes." Mr. Bentley may run another excursion in September.

Free Church Sunday School Picnic.

To-morrow the Sunday School of the Free Church will hold its annual picnic at Canobie Lake and with good weather there will be a large attendance. There will be free boating, swings, bowling alleys and lemonade.

The list of sports includes a ball game, boat race, swimming match, and running races for boys and girls.

A special train will leave Andover at 8.40 A. M., returning will leave Canobie at 8.45 P. M. The regular trains leave at 8.20 A. M. and 1 P. M., returning leave Canobie at 5.14 P. M.

Tickets for the round trip: Adults, 50c. Children, under 14, 30c.

If in case of doubtful weather, the picnic should be postponed, the Free Church bell will be rung at 7.30 A. M. Tickets can be had at the station to-morrow morning.

Sloyd.

The Sloyd equipment has been moved from the Guild House to the basement of the Stowe School.

The Sloyd classes meet Tuesday and Friday mornings from ten to twelve, and Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from two to four.

Visitors will be welcome at any time during the sessions of the school.

Weather Record.

Temperature taken in the morning between 5 and 7 o'clock, and at noon between 12 and 1 o'clock.

1897	MORN.	NOON.	1898	MORN.	NOON.
July 29	62	69	July 29	70	90
" 30	60	76	" 30	74	94
" 31	64	80	" 31	73	90
Aug. 1	62	78	Aug. 1	68	88
" 2	62	80	" 2	67	84
" 3	62	86	" 3	60	84
" 4	64	92	" 4	70	88

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Little Mothers and Fathers of the Poor.

This is one of the most pathetic and heart-touching phases of life among the poor in great cities. Robbing childhood of its rights and pleasures by the burdens and cares of maturity. The Children's Health Fund, Boston, is planning a day's excursion down the harbor exclusively for such "Little Mothers and Fathers of the poor". One case illustrates hundreds: A worthy woman has a drunken husband, who contributes nothing but expense and sorrow to the family. The children are three in number, the eldest a girl of nine years, a boy six and another girl three. To keep from the poorhouse and hold the family together and pay the rent of the one room in which they live, the mother goes out washing and cleaning six days of the week. She starts early in the morning and does not return until night. This is possible only because little nine-year-old Annie is a "Little Mother" in the home. This mere child does nearly all the work done in the room, watches, cares for, feeds and amuses the two younger children through all the long, weary days. If the father be at home, the hardship and horror are intensified. If this little care taker should sicken or die, the mother would be compelled to stay at home and the income would be cut off. They live in a miserable garret room about 8 by 10 feet with a slanting roof in which is a hinged skylight. It is hard living here in winter. In summer it is nearly unendurable. There is absolutely no place for these suffering morsels of humanity to go for a bit of pure air. The room is in an immense tenement house in the densest part of the city, without yard or roof to which to go. Nothing clean or wholesome is near them. Brouns and oaths and fights are the familiar sights and sounds. Yet this respectable woman is obliged to live here, while making a noble effort to keep her tenderly-loved children with her, and raise them wisely and purely. She is not alone in her circumstances. Hundreds are similarly conditioned.

The Children's Health Fund, through its long experience, knows where the deserving victims of poverty and vice are. It gives many excursions and outings during the year to the children of misfortune. One will soon be given for babies and those who must accompany them. Possibly the most interesting of all, and one that appeals with peculiar force to the thoughtful, is the day set apart for the little care-takers of the homes of privation. It plans to gather up 300 of these little burden bearers on Monday, August 15th, and take them away from the sweltering city for the entire day. It costs fifty cents to take a child for this outing. This is their program for the day: The children are invited and their leaving home made possible. They take the steamer City of Quincy at Snow's Arch Wharf at 10 o'clock, and have a charming sail down the bay to Nantasket beach. A world of beauty and wonder to many of those children they never dream to see. There they swim or wade in the ocean tides, a joy that nearly sets them wild. At the call of "dinner" they go to a hotel for a good, hearty meal, such as many of them have never had, and may never have again. It will consist of the usual courses of fish, chowder, roast meats, pies, puddings and ice-cream without stint. After this barge ride, shooting the chutes, riding the flying horses, etc. will fill the afternoon. At its close they take the steamer for the return trip, with their poor, shrunken lungs filled for once with pure air, stronger for one good meal, and with memories they never otherwise could have.

This can only be accomplished if helpers respond to this statement and the appeal it makes to their hearts. Let every person reading this do something. Many are able to forward dollars, very many more can send halves, quarters or dimes. Sunday schools and clubs can club together and send enough to give one child or more this one day of liberty from its worse than prison. Address, Children's Health Fund, 36 Bromfield Street, for details, to whom all checks and cash should be mailed. Contributors to this glad day for the "Little Mothers and Fathers of the Poor" will receive an account of the affair.

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DISTRICT POLITICS.

Congressman Knox and His Renomination—Senatorial Matters.

The Boston Globe sizes up the congressional situation on the republican side of the fence, and touches on senatorial matters as follows: "Congressman William S. Knox of Lawrence, who is a candidate for his third term in the national house of representatives, has as opponents for the republican nomination, Lewis G. Holt of his own city and Gen. Francis H. Appleton of Peabody.

The campaign of Mr. Holt is based on purely personal grounds. Under the last republican national administration he was postmaster in Lawrence and expected to be again, but Congressman Knox recommended a letter carrier for the place and the president followed the suggestion of the congressman. Since that time Mr. Holt has been a candidate for congress. The republicans of Lawrence say that Mr. Knox is too afraid to fear from the opposition of his fellow-townsmen, and the letter carriers, who seem to be delighted at the promotion of one of their number, predict that when Mr. Knox has been renominated they will give him the largest vote he or any other congressional candidate ever received in the city of Lawrence.

Gen. Appleton, the other rival of Mr. Knox, is one of the best-known republicans in the eastern part of the state. He is now on Gov. Wolcott's staff, and was for a number of years a captain in the second corps of cadets. His occupation is farming. He is a man of means and of high social position and there is no more popular, personally, than he is. In politics he has been prominent as a member of the republican club of Massachusetts, of which he was at one time president.

When the present congressman was first nominated Gen. Appleton was also a candidate, but he withdrew when he saw that he had little or no chance of success, and nominated Mr. Knox in the convention. The friends of the Peabody man say it is time that part of the congressional district was recognized, and they are very ardent and active in advocating the nomination of Gen. Appleton.

It is difficult to see how the latter candidate can secure delegates enough to bring about his nomination. The two large cities, Lawrence and Lowell, absolutely control the district conventions. Local pride will give Mr. Knox the Lawrence delegates and clever politics will probably induce the Lowell leaders to render what assistance they can to the Lawrence man. They understand that in all probability this must be his last term, and when he retires Lowell will have an excellent chance of proposing his successor. If a new man is nominated this year he will have to be given two or three terms, and the time for Lowell's favorite son, whoever he may be, will be put further in the future.

For these reasons, the politicians say, Mr. Knox will have little or no trouble in getting his renomination.

The republican state committee has done what it could to help his cause by making him chairman of the committee on resolutions of the state convention.

When it comes to an election Mr. Knox may find more difficulties in his way. The district is not so strongly republican as most people think. In years gone by, when the lines of the district were but little different from those of the present, democratic congressmen were elected about as often as republicans, and Lowell and Lawrence were two of the strongholds of the state democracy.

It is generally conceded that the democratic candidate for congress this fall will be Senator Joseph J. Flynn of Lawrence, who last year, in a republican district, defeated the republican candidate for the state senate. Mr. Flynn is one of the best vote getters in his part of the state. What he cannot do for himself his friends do for him, and the result on election day has always been that he has run far ahead of his ticket. When he can do as well in a congressional fight, time will show, but it is safe to say that Mr. Knox will be bothered more to get a re-election than he will be to secure a renomination.

Representative Cornelius F. Sullivan will be the democratic candidate for the state senate. Mr. Sullivan has been three years in the house of representatives. The republican senatorial nominee will be apparently either Representative George B. Smart or ex-Representative Charles F. Sargent, both of Lawrence.

Last year Mr. Sargent tried for the republican nomination, but was defeated by ex-Representative Harry R. Dow, who was in turn defeated at the polls by Mr. Flynn. Mr. Sargent thinks he should now be given an opportunity of showing what he can do in the way of getting votes when his name is on the official ballot, but the supporters of Mr. Smart think the other man has had all the chance he deserves. Mr. Smart is the candidate of the older conservative wing of the party. Mr. Sargent is being pushed, in his section, of the least, by the younger men.

Enjoyable Lawn Party.

A pleasant lawn party was conducted by the young people of the Prospect hill Primitive Methodist church on the grounds adjoining the house of James H. Spurr, 23 Howard street, Wednesday night. An entertainment was given, the program including—Singing, "Star Spangled Banner," chorus; violin solo, Walter Pete; reading, Clarissa Murgatroyd; song, Mr. Eastward; flute solo, Mr. Truell; reading, Miss Murgatroyd. Refreshments were served.

The committee in charge consisted of Rev. George Humphries, Misses Mabel Spurr, Mary Barlow, Buella Rhubert and Edith Knight, John Beverly, Frank Jackson and Ernest Kent.

To Form a Chorus

A meeting will be held at the Parker street church this evening, to form a new south side musical organization. The church has secured the services of L. N. Cushman of Boston as director of the chorus and is planning to make this part of the church of special interest. The work to be done includes preparation for a concert to be given in the fall. Mr. Cushman has for several years had charge of the octet and chorus of People's Temple, Boston, which now ranks as one of the best in that city. An invitation is extended to all singers to be present tomorrow night at the church, when plans will be fully discussed.

The question of the right of the road at Lomb beach, Gloucester, which the city railroads have fought for several weeks, has been partly adjusted. The railroad has informed Mayor Davis that he may go ahead and lay out the road, and the railroad will not tear it up.

The Central Labor union of Haverhill will conduct the American championship foot race, known as the sweepstakes, on Labor Day, at the Pines, at Haverhill. A track is being especially made for the event, and as the winner will receive about \$600 it is as good as settled that the best men will run. J. H. Clausen will receive the entries. The referee and starter will be appointed later.

SMASH ON THE ELECTRICS.

Mrs. MacIntosh and Daughter of Essex Street Injured in the Collision.

Last Sunday afternoon a bad smash-up occurred on the Lowell division of the L. & N. Railroad, which resulted in injuries to thirteen persons. On the car were Mrs. MacIntosh, a well known and old resident of Abbott Village and her daughter Isabel, and both sustained injuries. Mrs. MacIntosh being rendered unconscious. When the car came Miss Isabel MacIntosh leaped from the car and hit her ankle. Mrs. MacIntosh was thrown forward and struck on her head and chest sustaining injuries that necessitated her removal to the Lawrence Hospital. She was able however to leave for her home in town late in the afternoon. While much better she has not yet fully recovered from the effects of the shock. Miss MacIntosh's injuries have made walking rather disagreeable for her this week but otherwise she has suffered no other effects of the accident. Joseph W. Higgins of town, was conductor on one of the cars.

The accident occurred at "Breezy Point," where the roadbed curves abruptly, it being possible to see only a short distance of the track ahead. A growth of trees begins close by the bend in the roadbed, while on the other side of the track is a steep embankment extending down to the Merrimack river. The place is a few hundred feet this side of the pavilion at Belle Grove. No. 183, one of the new long cars, left Lowell at 12.30, in charge of Conductor James Sullivan and Motorman James Rolley. Car 165 was in charge of Conductor Joseph Higgins and Motorman Edward Coughlin and left this city at 12.15.

Changing from 30 to 15 minute time caused some confusion in the matter of meeting on certain turnouts, and the collision followed as a result.

The cars came upon each other so suddenly that some of the passengers were unaware of the danger until the crash came. The motormen had endeavored to stop their cars. The Lawrence bound car was supplied with an automatic air brake and Motorman Rolley succeeded in bringing the car almost, if not quite, to a standstill. Motorman Coughlin was less successful, having to depend upon a reversed motor and his strength in applying the brakes.

The cars met with such force that the forward end of the Lowell bound car left the track and ploughed over the platform of the other. Passengers were thrown from the car, others injured and for a time excitement prevailed. Those who were not hurt went to the assistance of the injured.

How Motorman Rolley escaped fatal injuries is indeed remarkable. The dasher behind which he was standing was crushed by the other car and forced back until it most nearly touched him. He managed to get between the first and second seats. When he was picked up it was thought that he had been very seriously hurt. He was conscious, however, and expressed concern for the safety of the passengers.

Very unusual was the fact that the forward end of the Lawrence bound car was unoccupied, and fortunately so. The injured were principally persons, who were upon the regular car.

Motorman Coughlin had his knee cut. Mattresses and other bedding were brought from camps in the vicinity and when another car arrived the injured were placed aboard and brought to this city.

Meantime the ambulance had been summoned and in that conveyance Messrs. Rolley, Broadbent and Lawrence were removed from the car to the hospital. The other of the injured were able to walk to the institution. Drs. Dow and G. E. Chamberlain had started for the scene of the accident, when they met the car with the injured aboard, and returned to the hospital. They were assisted in their examination of the injured by Dr. Howe.

The list of those taken to the hospital comprised:

James Rolley, bruised on the legs and hips.

Fred Broadbent of North Andover, bruised on legs, thigh and left arm.

Charles E. Lawrence, bruised on back. Mary McIntosh of Andover, slight bruise on left chest.

Dr. E. M. Boynton of 206 Broadway, back and leg slightly bruised.

John M. Lawrence, son of C. E. Lawrence, left cheek bruised.

C. Wallace Lawrence, another son, cut over the left eye.

Mrs. Harry Spotswood of High street, Methuen, slight bruise on chest.

Edward Fitzgerald of Dover, N. H., strained back.

Arthur Peel of North Andover, strained back.

Other injured persons were:

Rev. E. A. Fry of this city, bruised on head and side injured.

W. D. Brickett of Main street, Haverhill, was injured on the body and his wife on the limbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Bradley of Haverhill were bruised on arms and legs.

Little Charlie Clavette of 874 Lakeview avenue, Lowell, cuts about the face.

Mrs. Anna Priestly, 9 Barclay street, Lowell, arm injured.

Mrs. Della Vaillancourt of Lowell, left arm injured.

Belle and Mary Farrell, sisters, residing at 227 Canal street, cut and bruised about the arms and legs.

It was necessary to "jack up" both cars in order to separate them.

Car 183 was badly damaged. Besides that already mentioned, the iron ends of practically all the seats were bent, so that the backs were out of position nearly the width of the seats. Glass was also scattered about. The other car was not harmed to any great extent. The cars were taken to the car barn at the Lowell end, and later were brought to Lawrence.

About one month ago my child, which is fifteen months old, had an attack of diarrhoea accompanied by vomiting. I gave it such remedies as are usually given in such cases, but as nothing gave relief, we sent for a physician and it was under his care for a week. At this time the child had been sick for about ten days and was having about twenty-five operations of the bowels every twelve hours, and we were convinced that unless it soon obtained relief it would not live. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy was recommended, and I decided to try it. I soon noticed a change for the better; by its continued use a complete cure was brought about and it is now perfectly healthy.—C. L. Boeggs, Stumpdown, Gilmer Co., W. Va., For sale by Arthur Bliss, Andover, C. H. Shattuck, Ballardvale.

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Vici Black and Tan,	2.49
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Ladies' Oxford, Black and Tan,	.98
Ladies' Oxford, Black and Tan,	1.25
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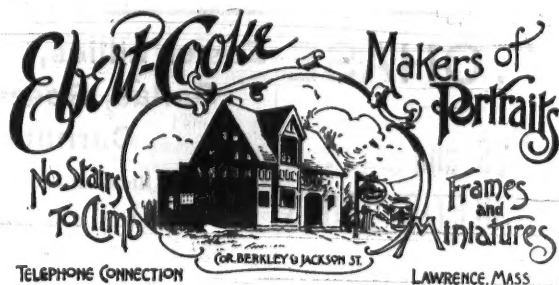
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ANDOVER'S HEAVY TAXPAYERS

Town's Valuation Increases \$130,000 but polls are 81 fewer.

The assessors have finished their annual valuation of the town and the subjoined figures show that while the number of polls has fallen off nearly 100-or to be exact 81-the valuation has increased \$130,000. The chief gain is in real estate and this is found in the large number of new residences which have been erected by Andover residents, and out of town parties for summer homes.

As in former years the Smith & Dove Mfg Co. pays the largest tax of \$4275, an increase on last year although the tax rate is the same. The polls are apportioned, West 402, Centre 620, South 332, Total 1354. Total 1897, 1435.

Summary of Valuation.

Personal estate. Real Estate. Totals

West 363,781 980,385 1,344,166

Centre 685,188 2,088,477 2,773,665

South 141,233 828,810 970,043

1,090,199 3,710,544 4,800,743

Bank Stocks 53,490

Grand Total 4,854,233

1897 4,723,797

Increase 1898 130,436

CENTRE DISTRICT.

Abbott, Betsy 60 00

" Charles E. 80 75

" Elizabeth L. 75 00

" John L. 63 26

" John H. 188 25

" William 87 50

" Margaret E. 108 00

Abbott Academy 484 50

Andover Electric Co. 214 50

Andover National Bank 615 00

Andover Press 66 00

Andrews, M. C. 105 05

Blanchard, Amos 515 00

Booth, C. A. 111 50

Bradshaw, Richard 68 00

Bartlett, Nath'l J. 75 88

Belknap, L. A. 172 25

Brewster, J. L. 129 75

Baldwin, Josephine F. 82 50

Ballard, Mary A. 432 00

Barnard, J. W. 1013 68

" Henry W. 92 00

Barnett, William Est. 115 50

Berry, Anna J. 97 50

Blake, Hannah L. 60 00

Bliss, Arthur 99 50

Budget, M. W. 97 50

Bliss, Lucy J. 220 50

Bodwell, Henry A. Est. 91 50

Brown, Benj. 96 50

Brown, N. B. and Shattuck, S. E. 55 50

Buck, Edward Est. 115 60

Burt, Hannah Est. 55 50

Butterfield, Jas. P. 252 46

" Elizabeth 84 00

Brown, Emily W. 60 00

Boston & Maine R. R. 184 50

Byers, Esther H. 56 50

Bucklin, S. J. 58 50

Cummings, O. 70 25

Chase, Omar 51 50

Clark, Charles W. 51 50

Cummings, Aaron 81 50

Chapin, E. P. 93 88

" Cornelia 351 00

Carter, Rev. Clark 57 88

Cochrane, James H. Est. 124 13

Carpenster, Charles C. 140 00

Chapman, Ovid 174 50

Cole, J. Newton 77 00

Carruth, Mrs. Nellie E. 67 50

Coburn, Mrs. Helen G. 435 00

Campden, J. H. 93 13

Chamberlain, Dr. C. N. 333 50

Carlton, F. T. and Horace 75 00

Chapman, Rose A. 253 50

Cogswell, John F. 75 00

Cole, Nancy E. 67 50

" John N. 70 25

" Minnie P. 57 75

" Carrie E. 67 50

Cummings, Brainard 63 50

Catholic Church 69 00

Chickering, Geo. E. 119 00

Club, The November 51 00

Chickering, Samuel Est. 63 50

Dove, Susan C. 679 05

" John Est. 1500 00

Dean, John H. Est. 214 50

Downs, S. M. 103 10

Donovan, Patrick 74 00

Daley, P. J. 143 75

Downing, John J. Est. 132 00

Downes, Elizabeth M. B. 75 00

Dennison, Sarah E. 91 50

Draper, Warren F. 69 50

Eames, Plato 99 05

" L. H. 73 75

Eaton, Mr. L. C. 64 50

" Geo. T. 67 75

Ellis, Nathan 113 00

Foster, Moses Est. 255 50

" Geo. W. 107 00

" Annie M. 208 88

Farmer, Mary E. 60 00

Flint, John H. 396 50

" Frances A. 657 00

Goldsmith, W. G. 197 00

Grosvenor, James 80 75

James and Mary H. 105 00

Gilbert, C. H. 106 25

Giddings, E. E. 64 50

Gray, Margaret E. 101 25

Gile, Erasmus Est. 133 50

" W. H. 236 75

Gleason, Mary E. 372 00

" Frank E. 196 25

Greene, Sarah F. 60 00

Hall, Mrs. Mary D. 60 00

Hannon, P. J. 207 13

Handy, Abby R.

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COMMISSIONERS' SALE OF REAL ESTATE

In that Part of Andover, in the County of Essex, called Ballardvale.

By virtue of an Order and Decree of the Superior Court for the County of Suffolk, entered in the case of Charles K. Cobb, Trustee, petitioner for partition, vs. Sally M. Simmons and others, dated June 14, A. D. 1898 to them directed, the undersigned Commissioners appointed by said Court to make sale and conveyance under said Order and Decree of the real estate described in said petition as amended, will sell at public auction on or near the respective parcels of real estate hereinafter described on

THURSDAY, THE 25th DAY OF AUGUST, A. D. 1898.

Commencing at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and selling in the following order:

FIRST AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M.

A parcel of land situated in that part of Andover in the County of Essex called Ballardvale, bounded as follows: beginning on Mechanics street (now discontinued) by land of the Boston and Maine Railroad Company and running Northwesterly by said land sixteen rods to other land of parties hereto; thence Easterly by said land twelve rods; thence Southerly by said land sixteen rods to Mechanics street; thence Westerly by said street to the point first mentioned. Containing 1 acre and thirty-two rods more or less.

SECOND AT FIVE MINUTES PAST 3 O'CLOCK, P. M.

Another parcel of land in said Ballardvale, beginning at the Southwest corner thereof by the Boston and Maine Railroad on the Easterly side of said road and at the Northwest corner of the parcel last above described; thence running Northwesterly by said road to land of James Abbott; thence Easterly by said land twenty-three rods two links to Shawheen River; thence by said river Southerly and by different courses three hundred and seventy rods to land of J. P. Bradley; thence Southerly by land of said Bradley five hundred and fifty feet to said Mechanics street; thence Westerly by said street one hundred and fifty-two feet to the Southeast corner of the parcel last above described; thence Northwesterly by said street about one hundred and sixteen feet; thence Northwesterly by said parcel twelve rods to said railroad and the first bound. Containing about 59 acres more or less; together with all right, title and interest the parties hereto have in said Mechanics street now discontinued, and together with all rights and privileges appertaining to said last described lot and subject to any restrictions there may be thereon.

THIRD, AT TEN MINUTES PAST 3 O'CLOCK, P. M.

Another parcel of land in said Ballardvale bounded Easterly by Ball Street one hundred and fifty feet; Southerly by land now or late of Bailey; Westerly by the Shawheen River and Northwesterly by land formerly of Milton Morse.

FOURTH AT FIFTEEN MINUTES PAST 3 O'CLOCK, P. M.

Another parcel of land in said Ballardvale known as the "Stone Cottage Lot" with the stone house thereon, bounded Northwesterly by High Street and measuring on said street about one hundred and nineteen feet; Northwesterly by a fence and there measuring about one hundred and forty feet six inches; Southerly by a fence and there measuring about one hundred and sixteen feet and three inches; and Southerly by a fence and there measuring about one hundred and forty feet and ten inches.

FIFTH, AT TWENTY MINUTES PAST 3 O'CLOCK, P. M.

Another parcel of land in said Ballardvale on the North side of Oak Street with the tenements thereon known by the name of Schooner Block, bounded as follows: Beginning at the corner of Oak and Centre streets; thence running Northwesterly by Centre Street sixty-nine feet more or less to land now or late of one Mrs. Kenney (formerly Isaac Abbott); thence Westerly by said Kenney's land one hundred and eighteen feet more or less to land now or late of Mrs. William Finn; thence Southerly by said Finn's land sixty-nine feet more or less to Oak Street; thence Easterly by said Oak Street about one hundred and eighteen feet to point begun at.

SIXTH, AT TWENTY-FIVE MINUTES PAST 3 O'CLOCK, P. M.

Another parcel of land in said Ballardvale with partially burned buildings thereon, bounded Easterly by Centre Street; Northwesterly by a vacant lot; Westerly by land of Abbott; and Southerly by land now or late occupied by Mrs. Rhoades. Containing twelve thousand five hundred and eight square feet of land more or less.

SEVENTH, AT THIRTY MINUTES PAST 3 O'CLOCK, P. M.

Another parcel of land in said Ballardvale beginning on Tewksbury Road by land of Joseph Russell; thence Southerly by said road one hundred and seven rods and nine links to a stake and stones in the middle of an old cartpath; thence Westerly by the centre of said cartpath to a stake and stones forty-eight rods; thence North 14° West by land of W. Phillips Foster thirty-two rods to a maple tree by a brook; thence Northwesterly by said brook one rod and eleven links to a maple tree; thence North 71° East sixty-five rods and twenty-one links by land of Jacob Dascomb to an oak tree; thence North 47° East by land of said Dascomb fifty-eight rods and eight links to a corner in the wall; thence South 55° East by other lands of parties hereto twenty-eight rods and eleven links to a stake and stones by land of Joseph Russell; thence South 48° West by land of said Russell eight rods to a stake and stones; thence South 53° East by land of said Russell twenty rods to the first bound. Containing thirty-eight acres and twenty-four rods more or less, and known as the Davis or Hyde farm, reserving from this last described parcel of land a lot of land bound as follows: Beginning at a point on said Tewksbury Road ten rods Southerly from the land of the said Russell; thence running Northwesterly twenty rods; thence

WORK ON THE SEWER.

Progress on Park Street Sewer. Blow-off Bed Finished, and Main Filter Bed Started.

Satisfactory progress is being made on the sewer in different parts of the town with the exception of Park Street, where a most decided "snag" has been struck. The ditch there was opened three weeks ago and it has been a continual blast during that period. Ledge has been found all along and the work of drilling it out has been laborious. The trench has been widened to nearly twice its original width and since this has been done much better progress has been made. The blasting this week has been heavy and it was found necessary to make them more powerful in order to make a better impression on the rock. Yesterday a blast of fourteen pounds of dynamite in seven holes was set off but on account of the rain to-day its effects have not been fully known. The trench has been sheathed with planks to prevent the sides from caving in after an explosion.

In front of the engine house a depth of fifteen feet will have to be reached, the under drain going one foot and a half further down than the main drain. It is expected, however, that with favorable weather the blasting will be finished and pipe laid on Park Street as far as Bartlett by the end of next week.

The Main Street drain is rapidly approaching completion. It runs directly under the car tracks until it reaches School Street, where it turns off and goes up in front of the professors' houses. No more quibbles were encountered after passing Wheeler Street and very little blasting has been done. The School Street sewer pipe has been laid as far as Abbot Academy and work has been begun on Locke Street.

Much ledge has been found on Brook Street and as a consequence progress is slow there. The Central Street section has been begun, the outlet to which will be around the rear of the Baptist Church. The blow-off bed at Frye Village has been practically completed and work on the main filter beds began yesterday. It is expected that a large force will be at work there next week.

The engineers are well pleased with the rate of progress and report that during the month of July over one mile and a quarter of pipe was laid.

Obituary.

MRS. CLARISSA ABBOT POOR.

Mrs. Clarissa Abbot Poor of Andover, died at the home of her son, Edward P. Poor, Lawrence, Monday afternoon, Aug. 2, 1898, and was the second youngest of 15 children. The late Mr. Daniel Saunders and Mrs. S. S. Valpey, both old residents of Lawrence, were her sisters. She was educated in the public schools of Andover. Feb. 2, 1825 she was married to Rev. Ebenezer Poor, who died in October 1868.

Mrs. Poor came from Puritan stock. She was the sixth generation of the Abbot family in this country, being descended from George Abbot and Hannah Chandler, who were among the early settlers of Andover then known as Chickewick. Mrs. Poor's father was a soldier in the Revolutionary army seven years. He marched in response to the alarm at Lexington and was at the battle of Bunker Hill. He returned to Andover where he died at an advanced age. Poor became a member of the Old South Church, Andover, in 1821. After removing to Lawrence, she attended Trinity church and at the time of her death was the oldest member of the latter in point of years. She had honorary membership in Phebe Foxcroft chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, and the Bunker Hill association. She was made an honorary member of the National and State Societies of the Daughters of the Revolution through the efforts of the Phebe Foxcroft chapter.

Of recent years Mrs. Poor made her home with her daughter, Mrs. Calvin T. Briggs on Main Street and had been spending a few weeks with her son in Lawrence previous to her death. She was 94 years, 11 months and 7 days of age.

The funeral took place from the house of her son, E. P. Poor 35 Bradford Street, Lawrence, at two o'clock Wednesday afternoon. Rev. W. E. Wolcott was the officiating clergyman.

The remains rested in a black broadcloth covered casket and arranged about the bier was a beautiful collection of floral tributes. Among these was a wreath from Phebe Foxcroft chapter, Daughters of the Revolution.

The bearers were Dr. Edward C. Briggs, Dr. Charles P. Briggs, C. T. Briggs and Abbot A. Poor, grandsons of Mrs. Poor. Interment was in Bellevue Cemetery.

MRS. WILLIAM LESLIE.

Monday evening at the home of her son Thomas Leslie in Frye Village, Mrs. William Leslie died after a long illness. She has been in feeble health for several years and her death was not wholly unexpected. Mrs. Leslie came to Andover many years ago from Arbroath, Scotland, and for a long time resided in Abbot Village. With failing health, however, she has made her home with her son Thomas in Frye Village for some time past. She was 75 years of age and leaves a husband and one son Alexander in Scotland, two sons, David and Thomas, in town, and another son, James, in South Africa. Funeral services were held at her son's home in Frye Village, Wednesday afternoon, and there was a large attendance of friends. Rev. F. R. Shipman, in the absence of Rev. F. A. Wilson, was the officiating clergyman. The bearers were Alexander Lamont, William Lunan, Andrew Kydd and Barnett Rogers. Interment was in Spring Grove Cemetery.

CHARLES SHATTUCK.

Charles Shattuck, a life long resident of Andover, died at his home in West Parish yesterday. Mr. Shattuck has been ill for some time. He was a well known and respected in town, especially among the people in the west district. He was 83 years of age. His wife predeceased him several years ago. One son Fred and one daughter, Mrs. Beard, survive him.

Funeral services will be held at the house to-morrow afternoon at 2 o'clock, and burial in the West Cemetery.

TERMS:

Twenty per cent of purchase price to be paid in cash on each parcel at time and place of sale.

FRANCIS C. WELCH, (Commissioner)
JOHN F. TYLER, (Commissioner)
FRANK BREWSTER, (Commissioner)

Boston, Aug. 2, 1898.

BALLARDVALE.

Ballardvale Churches.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, REV. ARTHUR L. GOLDER, Pastor. Services for Sunday, Aug. 7. No preaching service in the forenoon or evening. 8:00 P. M. Union Y. P. S. C. E. Business meeting. 7:30 P. M. Thursday evening, prayer meeting.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, REV. O. LEVERNE ROBERTS, Pastor. Services for Sunday, Aug. 7. 10:30 A. M. Worship with sermon by Rev. George G. Ross of Boston. Sunday school to follow morning service. 6:00 P. M. Epworth League meeting. 7:00 P. M. Vesper service with address by Rev. G. G. Ross. 7:30 Friday evening, prayer meeting.

George Shaw is spending several days in Bath, Me.

Miss Joseph Kintz of Shelton, Conn., spent Tuesday with friends in town.

Miss Kate Ryan of Lowell has been visiting friends in town.

Miss Ida Davis of Malden spent Tuesday with friends in the Vale.

Dr. C. H. Shattuck spent last Thursday at Salisbury Beach.

Rev. Arthur L. Golder is enjoying his vacation at the Rangeleys.

Mrs. Albert Clemons is spending the week at Onset.

Mr. and Mrs. Dr. Hiller of Wilmington were the guests Sunday of friends in town.

Miss Lillian A. Clark of Waltham is the guest of Miss Nettie Shaw of Central Street.

Mrs. G. H. Rothwell and daughter of Roxbury are visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kibbe, Lowell Street.

Ralph Brierley of Milton Hills, N. H., and Harold Lowd of Andover spent Thursday with relatives in town.

Miss Mabel Herrick leaves town to-morrow on a two weeks' visit to relatives in Boston.

Rev. C. LeVerne Roberts is expected home from his European trip the latter part of next week.

Miss Clara Stott is spending a two weeks' vacation with friends in Cambridge.

Mrs. John Garvin and son of Haverhill spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Mary Galvin, Chester Street.

Mrs. George Simpson and daughter, Miss Emma Abercrombie, are enjoying the sea breezes at Salisbury Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund M. Fessenden of Lawrence were the guests of Mrs. Mary A. Fessenden, Andover Street.

Almon Moody has returned to his home on Lowell Street, where he will remain for the present.

Miss Margaret E. Southworth of Lynn is visiting Miss Mamie Carey, Andover Street.

Last Sunday a daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Millard C. Wamsmaker, Marlard Street.

Leonard York sailed from Boston, Thursday on the Catalonia for England, where he will visit his aged mother, who resides in Paddington, London.

George Gale of Canterbury, Vt., was the guest Tuesday of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Clough. Mr. Gale attended the funeral of his cousin Win Merrill of Lawrence.

Mrs. William Farnum of Lynn and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Farnum of Lawrence were the guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Marland.

There was a very severe thunder storm passed the Vale, Saturday afternoon. The lightning struck an oak tree on the premises of William F. Parker, Lowell Street, but no serious damage resulted.

On account of the absence of Rev. Arthur L. Golder on his vacation, there will be no services in the Union Congregational church for the next two Sundays, Aug. 7 and 14, except the Y. P. S. C. E. meeting.

Last Saturday night, because of very important business, one of our Andover young men missed the late train home from the Vale, and concluded to spend the night at "Camp Dewey." It is unnecessary to mention that he had many novel and thrilling experiences during the night. His friends have not heard him express any desire to repeat the experiences of that night, and the mere mention of Camp Dewey is sufficient to illumine his face with a broad smile which plainly says "I'll never go there any more." Such is life.

The fifth annual excursion of the Union Congregational Sunday school at Lynn Beach, will take place next Tuesday, Aug. 9. The party will leave on the 7:45 train in the morning for Wakefield where special electric will convey the party direct to the beach. As is the custom it is intended to make this a "Village Excursion" and a cordial invitation is extended to all the people of the Vale to attend. Adults tickets, 70 cents; children, 50 cents. Tickets are on sale at Dr. Shattuck's, Greene & Woodlin's and F. G. Haynes & Co.

James Sullivan was drowned shortly after noon last Saturday while bathing about a mile below the Wilmington station. The deceased was about 21 years old. He was quite well known in the Vale having formerly lived here and worked as a section hand on the Boston & Maine Railroad. During the last two years he has been living in Wilmington and employed on that section. Although Mr. Sullivan was a good swimmer he was seen to disappear suddenly from the sight of his comrades and before help could reach him he drowned almost without a struggle. His body was recovered without difficulty and was taken to Lawrence. The funeral took place Monday from St. Mary's Church and was attended by the men of his section. Interment in St. Mary's Cemetery.

Advertised Letters.

Unclaimed letters, July 25, 1898

Crane, A. A. Casey, Miss Katie
Conch, Mrs. O. R. Donnelly
Gardner, Miss Eugenie McLane, G. S.
Morris, J. H. O'Hara, Mrs. John
Oliver, Dick Slater, W. S.
Sweet, John Taylor, Miss Eva
Arthur Bliss, P. M.

STRUCK BY EXPRESS TRAIN.

Michael McLaughlin Killed on Trunk Between Main and Harding Street Bridges.

Tuesday morning the Bar Harbor express, which passes through Andover at 8:30 o'clock, struck and killed Michael McLaughlin, Hancock Street, Lawrence, between the Main and Harding Street bridges.

McLaughlin was walking on the down track and stepped off it to avoid being struck by the 8:33 Boston bound train. In doing so he was confronted by the Bar Harbor express and probably became confused. He was too late to get out of the way and the cylinder of the ponderous express engine struck him on the left eye throwing him several feet. The accident was quickly noticed and Baggage Master Frye and others immediately proceeded to the spot where the man was lying. They found him still living but beyond aid and he died shortly afterwards.

Undertaker Messer was summoned and the body was removed to his rooms on Park Street to await coroner's inquest and identification. During the day it was ascertained that a man tallying exactly to the description of the victim had applied for work at the filter bed in Frye Village early in the morning but was unsuccessful and that he walked down the track towards Andover later. He was plain but cleanly dressed and gave indications of being a laboring man. In the evening as soon as reports of the accident were published a woman called at the police office here and informed the officers that her husband answered the descriptions and that he had been missing all day. She was shown the body at Undertaker Messer's and immediately recognized it as that of her husband Michael McLaughlin, who left his home early that morning. The body was removed to her home on Hancock Street, Lawrence, Wednesday.

Cricket.

The Methuen A. A. and Andovers played at Methuen Saturday afternoon. Methuen batted first and lost one wicket for 9 runs, when rain came down. Play was stopped for a few minutes and in resuming, the ball became wet and slippery and the bowlers found it difficult to handle. As a consequence Methuen scored rapidly and had scored thirty runs when rain again came down and the game was abandoned. Andover was winner, Bruce and A. Saunders her best bowlers. Angus bowled very creditably before the rain came on.

METHUEN A. A.
T. Hodgson, not out 5
J. Hamer, c McDermott, b Angus 10
J. Tetley, not out 12
To bat—J. Farnshaw, J. Wade, W. Marsden, R. Holdsworth, H. Anker, J. Bamber, G. Rushton, W. Dennison.
Extras 3
Total (one wicket) 30

Births.

In Andover, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Collins, Elm Street.

In Andover, a son to Mr. and Mrs. French, Elm Street.

In Andover, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. McCafferty, Main Street.

Deaths.

In West Parish, August 4, Charles Shattuck, aged 83 years, 3 months, 17 days. Prayer at home, Saturday, Aug. 6, at 2 P. M. Funeral at West Parish Church at 2:30 P. M.

What causes bad dreams is a question that has never been satisfactorily answered; but in nine cases out of ten, frightful dreams are the result of imperfect digestion, which a few doses of Ayer's Sarsaparilla will effectually remedy. Don't delay—try it to-day.

To dye or not to dye, that's the question. If you dye you must on account of your grizzly beard, use Buckingham's Dye—it is the best and cleanest.

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William Hayes was arrested in Lynn in the act of picking the pocket of a woman in a car. Hayes says that he was returning from Salem Willows. He was sent to the house of correction for nine months.

Merrimack Valley Route

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On and after July 2nd, electric cars leave Lawrence for Haverhill daily, at 8 and 8:30 a.m., to connect with

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Contagious blood poison is absolutely beyond the skill of the doctors. They may dose a patient for years on their mercurial and potash remedies, but he will never be rid of the disease; on the other hand, his condition will grow steadily worse. S. S. S. is the only cure for this terrible affliction, because it is the only remedy which goes direct to the cause of the disease and forces it from the system.

I was afflicted with Blood Poison, and the best doctors did me no good, though I took their treatment faithfully. In fact, I seemed to get worse all the while. I took almost every so-called blood remedy, but they did not seem to reach the disease, and had no effect whatever. I was disheartened, for it seemed that I would never be cured. At the advice of a friend I then took S. S. S., and began to improve. I continued the medicine, and it cured me completely, building up my health and increasing my appetite. Although this was ten years ago, I have never yet had a sign of the disease to return.

It is like self-destruction to continue to take potash and mercury, besides totally destroying the digestion, they dry up the marrow in the bones, producing a stiffness and swelling of the joints, causing the hair to fall out, and completely wrecking the system.

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Around the County

METHUEN.

The Nevins Memorial library is closed for the month of August.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Sawyer are enjoying two weeks at Old Orchard beach.

Mr. and Mrs. George N. Blodgett have returned from a week's outing at Canobie lake.

Misses Ella P. Bodwell, Emma H. and Sarah Gage are spending the week at Hampton beach.

Brown are sojourning at Hampton beach for two weeks.

Mrs. Eudorus H. Leavitt is confined to her residence on Pleasant street by illness.

Mrs. E. B. George and children have returned from a visit with relatives in Oicutt, Vt.

Friends from out of town are visiting at the residence of Thomas L. Barstow on Berkeley street.

Mrs. Samuel M. Fairfield and Miss A. D. Fairfield are enjoying a vacation at Centre Harbor, N. H.

Rev. and Mrs. J. W. Adams are spending the month of August at the Hedding camp ground, Epping, N. H.

Mrs. J. S. Emery and grand-daughter, Miss Ethel Emery, are visiting at the residence of Fred A. Lowell in Milton.

Bernard F. L. Humphrey, a student at the McGill veterinary college, Montreal, is visiting his parents on Arnold street.

The assessors have prepared printed lists of persons assessed to pay a poll tax in this town and they are ready for distribution.

Misses Emma and Jessie Arnold of Stoneham are visiting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. William E. Arnold on Arnold street.

Miss Flora MacDonald of Cambridge, sister of Rev. Robert MacDonald, is visiting at the residence of J. Milton Tenney on Charles street.

Rev. W. E. Gaskin, pastor of the Universalist church will have his vacation through August during which time the church will be closed.

Rev. and Mrs. Thomas Evans of Billerica formerly of this town, will accompany Rev. Nathan Bailey and family on their vacation.

The liquors recently seized from John Penney at the tent near Glen Forest entrance were declared forfeited in the local police court Saturday. There were eight bottles of lager.

Work is rapidly progressing on the new house of Peter Carrow on Stevens street. He will also build a stable, the batters for which have already been set and work begun on the foundation.

Driver Joseph Morin of the Paul Methuen Horse Company is spending his vacation at Canobie lake and during his absence Philip McMahon will manipulate the reins over the horse wagon horses.

A new industry has been started on Chase street for the manufacture of a suspender, which has been patented and which is fast taking the place of the many old styles. William D. Phinney is the proprietor.

Miss Maggie E. DeAdder has returned from a three weeks' vacation spent at her old home in Kentville, Nova Scotia. She was accompanied by her sister Miss Sarah S. DeAdder of North Andover.

Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson, the latter formerly Miss Maud Rollins of this town, are visiting friends here for a few days. They reside with Mrs. Robinson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Rollins at Blodgett's Landing, N. H.

The following officers were elected at the meeting of Success Lodge of Good Templars Saturday evening for the ensuing term: Chief templar, L. P. Smith; vice templar, Miss Lucy Toole; recording secretary, C. E. Hatch; financial secretary, Edgar R. Messer; treasurer, Miss Olivia Parker; marshal, Miss Bertha McAuley; past chief templar, O. E. Lowell. The installation will take place next Saturday evening.

Mrs. J. H. Spottiswood of the Pines was a passenger on the Lowell bound car which collided with a car going in the opposite direction on the L. & H. street railway near Belle grove Sunday afternoon. She was accompanied by her nine-year-old daughter. The latter was not injured but the mother received serious injuries about the chest. She was removed to her home and is now under the care of a physician.

The local Good Templars baseball nine went to North Andover Saturday afternoon and crossed bats with the team composed of members of Rescue lodge of that town. Report says the game was an interesting one and at times quite exciting. It required 11 innings to settle the supremacy of the two teams, but victory finally perched upon the banner of the Methuenites, the final score being 16 to 14 in their favor. The Methuen boys played a steady game from start to finish and deserve credit for the exhibition of good baseball which they furnished their opponents and the spectators.

The triangular lot of land at the junction of Howe, Pleasant Valley and Washington streets, or Marston corner, so-called, which was recently presented to the town by Edward F. Searles, for a park, has been adorned with a monumental looking sub-base, upon which stands a cylindrical shaft some two feet in diameter and four or five feet high. Surmounting this is a neatly chiseled anvil, also of granite. The inscription on the monument reads: "Marston's Forge, 1775." It is stated that the spot is the site of a blacksmith shop during the revolutionary war and the object of the monument is to mark the historic place. The donor of this is also understood to be Mr. Searles, whose generosity will be appreciated by the citizens generally.

What is claimed here to be the largest fare of swordfish ever taken was landed in Gloucester last week by the schooner Ramona, Capt. Joseph Perry. There were 170 in number of the fish, which averaged about 200 pounds each; one exceptionally large one tipped the beam at 575 pounds. They were secured in the north channel, and were taken in two weeks. The largest catch of one day was 37 fish. The fish sold at two cents per pound. They have been exceptionally plentiful the present season.

DEAD IN BED.

Lifeless Body of a Methuen Man Found Tuesday Morning.

Peter J. Lucas, for more than half a century a resident of Methuen and well known by nearly everyone in town, was found dead in bed at his home on Arnold street, Tuesday forenoon, by a neighbor who called at the house. The woman was astounded at the discovery and quickly notified the police. Word Lawrence, but he was out of town, and so was Medical Examiner Croston of Haverhill, who was next sought, and it was necessary to send to Georgetown for Medical Examiner Richmond B. Root.

The latter responded and after an examination pronounced death due to heart disease and natural causes. It was evident that he had been dead for several hours, although he was seen Monday night and so far as known, was then in his usual health, which, however, had not been very rugged for a number of years. A rumor was afloat soon after the finding of the body that the old gentleman had committed suicide by shooting himself, but the examination showed that such was not a fact, and there was no evidence that any violence had been used. He was lying in bed in a natural position, and it is the opinion that he died after falling to sleep.

Mr. Lucas was born in Barre, Vt., 78 years ago. From there he removed to Charlestown, and thence to Methuen, while he was yet a young man and had since lived here except during his term of service in the army through the war. He enlisted in the First Massachusetts heavy artillery at President Lincoln's first call for troops and served his country faithfully and well for three years. He was made an Odd Fellow many years ago in Charlestown, but was never affiliated with the local lodge.

He was a member of Col. William B. Greene post, 100, G. A. R., with which he had been associated since its institution. He leaves a wife and three married daughters, all of whom, so far as known, live in California, where they have been a number of years.

For many years Mr. Lucas had lived alone, and a neighbor was engaged to do his housework, calling every day for that purpose, and this was how she happened to discover his lifeless form Tuesday morning. She was unable to gain admittance and procuring a ladder, she climbed through a window.

Mr. Lucas was especially well known to the pupils of the public schools for a long term of years, as he was a familiar figure, for a long time serving as janitor of the west side school. At one time he was possessed of considerable property.

Funeral services were held Tuesday afternoon under the direction of Post 100, G. A. R., and burial was in the soldiers' lot in Walnut Grove cemetery.

It is estimated that 50,000 people visited Revere beach Sunday.

Three cows were struck by lightning and killed in a pasture at Middleton during the heavy thunder shower last Saturday.

Harry Rollins, a Lynn soldier, was wounded by a bullet from a Spanish rifleman while on the St. Paul, which was protecting a landing party.

James Stone, ex-city marshal of Lynn, and otherwise prominent in Lynn's public affairs, died at his home Saturday at the age of 87.

Henry Hill of Lynn ran against a window while racing with other bathers at Nahant Saturday. The glass cut an artery in his right arm.

The corn market is weak on improved weather and better crop prospects. Supplies here on the spot are short, and 4½¢ is asked for No. 2 yellow, and 4½¢ for steamer yellow on the track. Shipments are quoting materially lower prices, with some offerings of Chicago No. 2 yellow at 40¢ per bush, and from that up to 41½¢ asked.

The demand for oats on the spot here is moderate, but prices are quite firm, as offerings are light. We quote fancy clipped on the track at 36½¢@37¢; No. 3 and No. 3 clipped at 33¢@34¢; rejected white at 32½¢@33¢; and no grade at 32¢@33¢ per bushel. Offerings of old oats by shippers are very light, and from 32½¢@33¢ is the range of prices for nearby lots. New oats to arrive can be bought at 31¢ for 26 to 38 lbs, and 30¢ for 34 to 36 lbs.

LIVESTOCK SITUATION.

Beef is firm, though the hot weather has been against a liberal movement. Western shippers continue to notify the sellers here of the increased cost of cattle, and to urge upon them the necessity of higher prices, in order that the beef shall not pay a loss. At the same time, they ship enough here to keep the market too full for exceedingly strong prices. The total arrivals for the week were 141 cars for Boston and 165 cars for export, a total of 306 cars; preceding week, 133 cars for Boston and 91 cars for export, a total of 224 cars; same week a year ago, 141 cars for Boston and 143 cars for export, a total of 284 cars. The quotations are well sustained at: Choice steers, 8½¢; good steers, 8½¢; light and cows, 8½¢; extra heavy hinds, 11¢; good hinds, 10½¢; light hinds, 10¢@10½¢; heavy fore, 6½¢; good, 6½¢; light, 6½¢; backs, 7½¢@8¢; rattles, 5¢@6¢; chucks, 6¢@6½¢; short ribs, 12¢@12½¢; rounds, 9¢@9½¢; rumps, 12¢@12½¢; rumps and loins, 12½¢@14¢; loins, 13¢@15¢.

The market on muttons and lambs is fairly sustained, though the weather has been very hot and humid. Prices are slightly lower than a week ago. Veals are rather poorly sustained, though quotations are not much changed: Spring lambs, 9¢@11¢; Brighton and fancy, 10¢@11½¢; muttons, 6½¢@9¢; Brighton and fancy muttons, 7¢@9½¢; veals, 6¢@9¢; fancy and Brighton, 8¢@10¢.

Poultry is fairly steady, with only a rather moderate supply: Turkeys, 12¢@13¢; chickens, fresh, 18¢@21¢; western, 14¢@16¢; fowls, northern, 12¢@13¢; western, 12¢@14¢; live fowls, 10¢.

The pork market is rather quiet, as might readily be the case under the amount of heat and humidity that has been the character of the weather for a week. Quotations are little changed. Tallow oil is unchanged. Tallow is firmer. Bulk tallow, 3½¢@4¢; tallow oil, 42¢@44¢.

New York, Aug. 2.—Tallow is easy. City, 3½¢; country, 3½¢@3½¢.

THE FLOUR AND GRAIN TRADE.

The chamber of commerce committee quotes flour prices as follows: Spring wheat patents at \$4.50@5.25; spring wheat straights at \$4.15@4.50; spring wheat clears at \$3.50@4.25; winter wheat patents at \$4.04@4.65; winter wheat straights at \$3.50@4.40, and winter wheat clears at \$3.50@4.10 per bbl, as to quality.

Corn meal is quiet, with sales at 80¢@82¢ per bag and \$1.85@1.90 per bbl. Oatmeal steady at \$4.15@4.35 for cut and \$3.75@3.95 for rolled and ground. Granulated and bolted meal at \$2.15@2.35. Rye flour at \$2.95@3.25 per bbl. Graham flour at \$3.20@4.55, as to quality.

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IN HUB MARKETS.

Buyers Mystified by Upward Tendency of Butter.

Each Week Sees Higher Figures Placed on the Product—Moderate Demand For Eggs, and Prices Quite Steady—Standing of the Various Cereals.

Boston, Aug. 3.—It was difficult to get an exact selling price Tuesday for full invoice lots of fine creamery. Receivers naturally were influenced by the advancing prices at other points, and asked ¼ to 1 cent more than last week, but buyers were few and slow to come to terms. They were willing to pay 18½ cents, or even 19 cents, for the finest lots, but over that they did not want to go. Retail dealers cannot clearly see a good reason for the advance, as trade is slow and the supply is ample for all wants. Perhaps a quotation of 19 to 19½ cents should be given for the finest lots of both western and northern, with 19½ cents as an extreme. All lots showing hot weather or other defects had to take a lower range, say from 17 to 18 cents, and these received a little more attention from buyers. Boxes sold at 19½ to 20 cents. Choice imitations at 15 cents were inquired for, and the right kind may bring a little more this week, if they can be found. Ladies at 13 to 14 cents have received some attention, and all grades suitable for bakers' use continue scarce. The high prices asked for first-class butter will naturally cause more demand for the under grades, and if there is any stock in the country it should be sent forward.

Jobbers will have to advance their prices again during the week. They did not charge over 20 cents on Monday and Tuesday to most of their customers, but as the market stands at present they will have to get 20½ to 21 cents before the week is out, if they are looking for any profit.

CHEESE, EGGS AND BEANS.

The cheese situation is about the same as last week. The rising butter market seems to have no effect on the price of cheese, and sales run along at 7½ to 8 cents for best northern and 7 to 7½ cents for western. It would be hard to place a lot of best northern at over 7½ cents.

There has been a moderate demand for eggs and prices rule steady on the basis of 14 to 14½ cents for finest western. A large portion of the receipts continue to be affected by the heat and range lower. Fresh eastern command 15 to 16 cents. The stock in the Quincy storehouse Saturday was 124,923 cases, against 110,646 cases same time last year. Taken out during the week, 3378 cases. The Eastern cold storage warehouse had 5900 cases.

Beans have ruled firm at \$1.40 for choice marrow pea, and \$1.45 to \$1.50 for mediums.

Potatoes in large receipt and prices lower, with sales at \$1.65 per barrel, wholesale.

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Fred Dill has returned from a visit to Nova Scotia.

James Craig and family are cottaging at Salisbury beach.

Miss Anthony of Marblehead has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. W. S. Roundy.

E. D. Sargent caught a good string of perch in Cochichewick lake, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Carney are at Bar Harbor.

Miss Susan Amory who has been a recent guest at the Phillips manse, has returned to Boston.

Charles Morrill has returned from a trip to Farmington, Me. He made a trip of about 200 miles.

Charles Williston has been visiting at the home of Mrs. Charles Gould on Andover Street.

Mrs. Thomas Kittredge and family of Salem are spending the month at the Kittredge farm.

The Eighth regiment has again been obliged to change its camping ground, owing to the mud and dampness.

Miss Mary Hainsworth of Marblehead Street has returned from Providence, R. I., where she attends school.

George Stone assignor to M. T. Stevens & Sons of this town has been granted a patent for a wool drying apparatus.

Gen. W. J. Dale has been indisposed for a few days at the homestead, but is convalescing.

H. M. Whitney is to make a trip to Baltimore, August 25, and will be gone several days.

Robert Smith of Sunny Slope farm has placed a new canoe in the Country Club boat house.

Gile's barges have been engaged for a trip to Johnson's Pond, Sunday, and also for the following Sunday.

Mrs. S. F. McQueston and son Russell spent Wednesday at Salisbury Beach. They were guests at Hotel Cushing.

Mrs. James H. Davis left town this morning for Bar Harbor, Me., where she will spend the month.

Charles B. Smith is making a trip to Framingham, N. H. He stopped at Portsmouth on the way, and will be absent a week.

Farmers are quite disturbed over the prospect of potato rot. The blight has already made its appearance in southern New Hampshire.

Work on the reservoir was stopped Saturday at noon. In some places in town the thermometer registered 68 to 100 degrees in the shade.

Several people from the South district attended the lawn party given at the residence of Principal N. B. Sargent in Westford, Tuesday evening.

Joseph P. Putnam of T. A. Holt & Co.'s Centre store, is enjoying a vacation of two weeks. W. S. Roundy is acting clerk until Mr. Putnam returns.

Between 40 and 50 enjoyed the "hurdy gurdy" party at the Country Club Wednesday evening. Boating, dancing and light refreshments were features of the evening.

Wm. P. Page and family, C. A. Dame and family, W. R. Johnson and family, Mrs. Sarah Pelton, Mrs. Barnard and Miss Clara Barnard spent Sunday at Salisbury Beach.

Unable to think of the proper nationality of the Italians, a little Congregational Sabbath school scholar classified the workmen who pass her home each day as "Unitarians."

At a meeting of the school committee Tuesday, Miss Kydd of Andover was elected teacher of the Farnham school. Miss Kydd is a graduate of Puncard high and Salem Normal schools.

The Davis and Furber Machine works paid off Wednesday and the plant will continue idle until Monday. The card clothing machine help have been unemployed for the entire week.

Thirteen workmen were discharged from the trenches Tuesday because of inability or disinclination to wield the pick and shovel with sufficient celerity to satisfy the contractors.

Miss Harriet Osgood Pierce who is a guest at the Parks' residence in Boxford is the grand daughter of Postmaster General Osgood of this town, the first to hold that office in the United States.

Mrs. George H. Milfin directed the refreshment department at the fair given on the Lodge estate, Nahant, yesterday, in aid of the Massachusetts Volunteer Aid society and the Village Improvement association.

The committee appointed to draft a constitution for an alumni association and present the same at a subsequent meeting met at the home of Miss Osgood, Tuesday evening. George Meserve was chairman and Miss Mary Mahoney was secretary of the committee.

A carrier pigeon was found at the Kittredge farm, Friday in an exhausted condition. Attached to one leg was a tag with the letters, "G. E. H. 97." After being fed, the bird was able to fly to the roof of the barn where Foreman Brown last saw it.

A recent Globe says: "Mr. Hamilton Willis of Boston was married to-day to Miss Margaret Wordsworth, a grand niece to the poet Wordsworth. The ceremony was performed in St. James' Catholic church." Mr. Willis is a relative of the Brooks' family and is well known in town.

During August the program of entertainment at the Country club will be as follows: August 3, Hurdy gurdy party; directed by Miss Meserve; August 6, August 6, Afternoon tea, from 4 to 6 o'clock; August 10, Afternoon tea; August 13, Afternoon tea, from 4 to 6 o'clock; August 17, Afternoon supper at 6 o'clock; August 20, Afternoon tea; August 24, Dancing party, 8 to 12 o'clock; August 27, Afternoon tea.

Mrs. Lila Sutton Young is absent from Hillcrest for a vacation.

Eddie and Lester Towne are visiting their uncle, John Towne of Topsfield.

Ray Coffin of Lynn is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Burnham at the town farm.

Mrs. M. T. Stevens and Miss Helen Stevens have been visiting at Bar Harbor.

Mrs. John C. Crockett returned from a trip to Spokane, Wash., Tues.

Patrick Casey has accepted a position with a shoe firm in Haverhill.

Workmen commenced digging a trench on High Street for the water pipes, Monday.

Berry pickers are numerous but berries are reaped to be correspondingly scarce this year.

John Peters Stevens and family of Fawcett, N. J., have been guests at the Prospect house.

Miss Bertha Brierly is to play in San Francisco with the Daniels company in September.

Timothy Hayes is at home from camp Framingham for a furlough of 30 hours. His brother is before Santiago.

Officer Harris has in his news window a cartridge taken from the belt of his brother who was at the time stationed in Colorado with the regular army.

Crystal Robekah Lodge I. O. O. F. of Lawrence, was invited to an outing at Pine Cot and Cooley Den groves "up the river" yesterday afternoon. Several people here were also included in the invitation.

Through Local Agent Colby, the Merrimack Mutual Fire Insurance Co., of Andover, with its customary promptness has adjusted all claims covered by the policies of the company for the fire damage to the buildings of Cochichewick farm. The settlement occurred Friday.

A deed signed by Moses T. and Charlotte O. Stevens, conveying to the town certain land for a pumping station and pipes, was filed with the register of deeds yesterday. The deed was given in consideration of \$488. Of this sum \$336 was paid for 2.625 acres of land and \$150 for a right of way.

Mr. Shepard of Lowell, a brother of James Shepard, was injured yesterday by alighting from an electric car near Jefferson square. He was taken to the home of his brother on Third Street and attended by a physician. A general shaking-up and a wound on the leg near one knee resulted from the fall.

Eightieth Birthday Anniversary.

A quiet gathering of some thirty friends quietly and pleasantly observed the eightieth birthday of Mrs. Ann Morton; Sunday at her home on Water street. The venerable lady was born in Yorkshire, England, August 2, 1818, and was the fifth child in a family of 18 children born to Joseph and Martha (Naylor) Shackleton, and of this number only three others are now alive, Priscilla Shackleton and Mrs. Maria Dunderdale of England and Mrs. Rebecca Smith of Osgood street, Lawrence.

Fifty-six years ago she married Mr. Morton, and in 1857 they both came to America, first settling in Lawrence. After a residence of eight years in that city and subsequently a year in Amesbury, they located in this town, which has since been home to Mrs. Morton. Mr. Morton died about ten years ago. Mrs. Morton has crossed the Atlantic nine times since settling in the states.

The last of her journeys was for a trip of three months made six years ago. Since that time, however, she has been gradually feeling the effects of age and at present is rather feeble in health. The birthday party was held Sunday because friends from a distance could more conveniently attend than at any other time. The day passed pleasantly and Mrs. Morton was made the recipient of several tokens suited to the occasion. A fine supper was served and stories of "long ago" were rehearsed with delight by old neighbors and friends included in the company. The affair was in charge of Mrs. Joseph Greenwood, Mrs. S. F. McQueston, Mrs. William Shaw of Osgood street, Lawrence, and Miss Sarah Morton of Lawrence. The occasion happily began had a no less happy ending, all uniting in wishing successful days of joy and peace to Grandma Morton.

Wedding.

ZETTERMAN-PERSON.

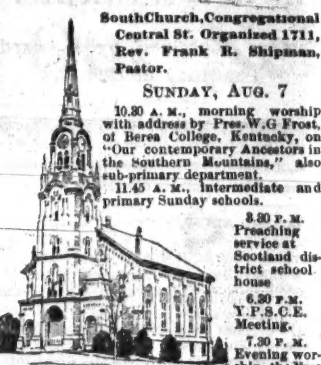
A pretty home wedding occurred at the home of John and Mary Person on Main Street, Wednesday afternoon at 5 o'clock, none but the immediate relatives of the interested parties being present. The bride was Miss Matilda Person and the groom was Ludwig Zetterman of Carver Street, Lawrence. The bride wore a gown of white organdie trimmed with lace, gracefully adorned with a tulle veil caught with orange blossoms. The bridesmaid was Miss Alva Person, a younger sister of the bride. Her gown was of white muslin. She wore a corsage bouquet of bride roses. Albert Zetterman of Lawrence, brother of the groom, acted as groomsmen. Rev. E. W. Eckman of the Lutheran Church, Lowell, performed the ceremony. A brief reception after the wedding was supplemented by refreshments, and bearing with them the best wishes of friends Mr. and Mrs. Zetterman left for a brief wedding tour shortly after 9 o'clock. On their return they will reside on the corner of Broadway and Haverhill Streets, Lawrence. The house was prettily decorated with flowers and the wedding group were photographed after the ceremony. Many valuable gifts were bestowed upon the bride.

Engineer Colby has received the following communication.

Dear Sir—I wish to thank you and the members for their activity and efficiency in extinguishing and controlling the fire at my farm on the 21st inst. I desire also to take this opportunity to thank most sincerely my neighbors and friends who worked so well and efficiently in saving my house.

Yours truly,
J. D. W. FRENCH.

ANDOVER CHURCHES.



South Church, Congregational, Central St. Organized 1711. Rev. Frank H. Shipman, Pastor.

SUNDAY, AUG. 7

10.30 A. M., morning worship with address by Rev. W. G. Frost, of Berea College, Kentucky, on "Our contemporary Ancestors in the Southern Mountains," also sub-primary department.

11.45 A. M., intermediate and primary Sunday schools.

8.30 P. M., preaching service at Scotland district school house.

7.30 P. M., evening worship, the Free Church uniting. Pros. Frost will speak.

Wednesday, 7.45 P. M., Church Prayer Meeting.

Thursday, 7.30 P. M., special business meeting King's Daughters.

West Parish Congregational Church, Organized 1896.

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10.30 A. M., preaching by Rev. J. J. Blair.

12.00 Sunday-school.

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Regular weekly prayer meeting Wednesday evening, at 7.30 o'clock.

Christ Church, Episcopal, Central Street, Organized 1835. Rev. Frederic Palmer, Rector.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, AUG. 7.

10.30 A. M., Morning Prayer, with sermon by Rev. Prof. E. P. Gould.

4.30, Sunday-school.

6.00 P. M., Evening Prayer.

Baptist Church, cor. of Essex and Central Sts., Organized 1858. Rev. F. W. Klein, Pastor.

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10.30 A. M., Public worship, with sermon and communion.

Sunday-school to follow the communion service.

7.00 P. M., meeting of the Y. P. S. C. E., and the monthly missionary concert.

Wednesday evening at 7.45 o'clock, meeting for prayer and conference.

St. Augustine's Church, Roman Catholic, Essex St. Organized 1850. Rev. Fr. O'Mahoney, Pastor.

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY, AUG. 7

8.30 A. M., Mass and short sermon.

10.30 A. M., High Mass and sermon.

2.30 P. M., Sunday school until further notice.

3.00 P. M., Rosary and Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

First Sunday of each month, Communion day for Sacred Heart Sodality.

Second Sunday of each month, Communion day for children.

Third Sunday of each month, Communion day for Rosary and Arch Confraternity.

The Price of Shares to be Advanced.

The attention of our readers is called to the fact that the condition of the Joseph Ladue Gold Mining and Development Company of Yukon is such that the price of their Preferred Stock is to be advanced 25 per cent, and those who buy any of the stock at the present price of \$10.00 per share, will be in time for the dividend which will be paid soon after the advance in price of the stock; which will be August 31, 1898. This Company is one of the few companies which has shown good business progress and a sound business condition.

They are receiving from the Government \$20,000 a month for one of their steamships which is in use as a troop ship for the Philippine Islands.

All those who send their name and address will receive free a map of the Town site of Dawson City, showing size of lots, location of streets, etc. Address, Chas. A. Sawyer, 230 Washington Street, Boston.

The Best Remedy for Flux.

Mr. John Mathias, a well known stock dealer of Pulaski, Ky., says: "After suffering for over a week with flux, and my physician having failed to relieve me, I was advised to try Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and have the pleasure of stating that the half of one bottle cured me." For sale by Arthur Bliss, Andover, C. H. Shattuck, Ballardvale.

John McKay of Haverhill was brutally assaulted and robbed of \$12 by three men who held him up as he was going to his home about a mile and a half from the city proper, at an early hour Sunday morning. The affair was reported to the police, but as yet there is no clue to the robbers.

County Notes.

The Christian Endeavor societies of Lynn have voted to conduct a vigorous campaign against license in Lynn.

E. F. Lang of Haverhill has returned to Tacoma city from a prospecting trip in the Klondike.

The shoe shipments from Haverhill for the past week were 664 cases, against 6303 cases for the same week last year.

A. L. Shattuck of the Haverhill cycle club received a letter yesterday from Capt. Dow of Co. F at Chickamauga park, thanking the club for the \$50 check recently forwarded to the company.

M. J. Keefe, an edge-setter in a Lynn shoe factory, dropped dead while at his work Saturday. He was troubled with heart failure, and the heat overcame him.

Patrick Joyce of Lynn was shot by Reserve Police Officer Barry Sunday night while the latter was attempting to serve a warrant on him for assault upon a Hebrew.

Mrs. James Floyd jumped from a runaway carriage in Amesbury Saturday. The wheels passed over her head, inflicting a gash four inches long. Her skull was probably not fractured.

A difficulty exists between Marshal Worcester and Special Officer Rundle of the Haverhill police department. The officer accuses the marshal of unfairness. The police commissioners will give a hearing on the case.

Oscar Richardson, a marine now stationed at Seavey's Island, Portsmouth, harbor, is visiting in Haverhill. He was one of the party of marines who landed at Guantanamo and came back on the Harvard as a guard.

Judge Abbott of Haverhill commented upon the poor quality of liquor served in Haverhill licensed saloons, while trying drunk cases in court, Thursday. He believed the cheap intoxicants furnished had a terrible effect on drinkers.

A brewery will be built in Bradford, despite the refusal of the Haverhill board of aldermen to grant a permit. The city solicitor will probably advise the board that it has no authority to interfere with the erection of the building.

The Lynn police have in charge a 10-year-old boy, who ran away from home because he was mercilessly abused by his father. He will not give his name, because he is afraid he will be sent back home. His back is covered with bruises.

The Haverhill water board is constructing a 30-inch main at Lake Pentucket. After its completion the supply from Crystal lake will be shut off pending improvements at that lake, and the supply from Lake Pentucket will be used.

The Haverhill police received word yesterday that William Drown of that city, an inmate at the Lyman school, recently escaped from that institution. He is suspected of being concerned in a recent horse stealing case which occurred at Derry, N. H.

A letter received yesterday from Will Haines, a Haverhill man who started for the Klondike gold fields last March, announced his arrival at St. Michaels June 15. He joined at San Francisco a party of 25, sailing from that place in a schooner for the Klondike.

A Haverhill policeman started to arrest Sam Clough for drunkenness. Clough jumped into the river and started to swim to Bradford. A boat went after him and he was arrested in the water. When on shore again he made a hard fight to escape.

Francis McLaughlin, the South Boston murderer who escaped from the Worcester insane asylum, where he was confined more than a week ago has been seen in Lynn and Swampscott by people who were well acquainted. The police were notified but he has not yet been captured.

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